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AGAWAM, MASS.: THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1966

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Open New Local Law Firm



Atty. Victor Rosenberg

Atty. Ronald H. Danziger, whose law office is located at 95 State St., Springfield, and Atty. Victor Rosenberg, whose law office is located at 1248 Main St., Springfield, in addition to their Springfield offices announce the opening of a law firm for the general practice of law at 330 Walnut St. Agawam.

Atty. Victor Rosenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rosenberg of Springfield attended Springfield public schools and is a graduate of Technical High School.

He was awarded a degree in Business Administration from the University of Massachusetts and received his LLB from the Boston University School of Law.

Mr. Danziger received his B.A. degree from Hobart College, Geneva, N. Y. and his L.L.B. degree from New York University

F. Hills Women's Club Banquet May 5

The Feeding Hills Federated Women's Club annual banquet will be held at Sheraton Inn, Westfield, May 5, at 6:30 p.m. with Mrs. Carmel Buiso as banquet chairman.

Following the banquet a business meeting will be held and reports from all committee will be presented. A new slate of officers and "secret pal" names will be divulged. Mrs. Donald Gaunt, chairman of the nominating committee for 1966-67, will report.

Mrs. Kenneth LaFountain and Mrs. Stanley Fuller, cochairmen of the program, will introduce the entertainment part of the program.

Banquet committee assisting Mrs. Buiso are, Mrs. Giles Haladay, Mrs. Justin Hyland, Mrs. Walter Ugolick and Mrs. Donald Mahoney.

Gridiron Mothers Meet Monday

The Gridiron Mothers will meet Monday evening at 8:30 in the High School cafeteria. The Club will vote on Football scholarships to be awarded to any senior boy who participated in football and is furthering his education.

The Moms wish to thank all those who so willingly gave of their time and money to the Anderson-Morin Football Scoreboard located at Harmon A. Smith Field.



Atty. Ronald H. Danziger

School of Law. He is counsel for the Springfield Junior Chamber of Commerce and has recently been elected a Vice-President of that organization. He is a member of the legal defense team of the Hampden County C.L.U. Chapter. Atty. Danziger is presently fulfilling his military commitment in the Massachusetts Air National Guard as a member

of the legal office in the 104th Tactical Fighter Group (Combat Support Squadron) at Barnes Airport, Westfield, Mass. He has

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Catholic Women Annual Banquet

The annual banquet of the Catholic Women's Club of Agawam, will be held May 17 in Tekoa Country Club, Westfield. A social hour at 6:30 will precede dinner at 7:30 p.m. A musical program, reading of yearly reports and installation of officers will highlight the evening.

Mrs. David Gallano is serving as chairman ex-officio of the banquet with Mrs. John Shea, chairman, and Mrs. Claude Guidetti, cochairman. Mrs. Albert Hebert will be in charge of entertainment. Other committees working on arrangements are: Special gifts, Mrs. Walter O'Connor, Mrs. Timothy Collins; reservations, Mrs. Norbert Demont, chairman, Mrs. Francis Capitanio, Mrs. Albert Veronisi, Mrs. Francis Sloboda; decorations, Miss Theresa Martin, chairman, Miss Jane Durkan, Mrs. John Polopek, Mrs. Oscar Guidetti and publicity, Mrs. Gerard Girard.

Officers for the 1966-67 season to be installed are: President, Mrs. Gallano; vice-president, Mrs. Alexander Toczko; second vice-president, Mrs. Joseph Hamel; secretary, Mrs. William Martel; treasurer, Mrs. Thomas McGovern; assistant treasurer, Mrs. Timothy Collins; directors, Mrs. Francis Capitanio, Mrs. Alfred Dugan, Mrs. Gerald Girard and auditor, Mrs. Thomas Casiello.

Democratic Women's Club Meet Tuesday

The Agawam Democratic Women's Club will hold their May 10, at the Agawam Town Hall at 7:30 p.m.

President, Mrs. Mary Drew, will conduct the meeting with the presentation of the annual reports, also the Nominating Committee will present the forthcoming slate for the coming year the election will also be carried out at this time.

Mrs. Jessie Boyer, and Mrs. Julie Landers will hostess this important meeting. Mrs. Jessie Boyer will be parliamentarian.

Promoted



Hallmark Van Lines, Inc., 67 Grove St., Chicopee Falls, Mass., announces the promotion of Mrs. Mata H. Prout to position of general office manager.

Mrs. Prout joined the company in 1962 as a clerk typist in the billing department. In 1964, the company adopted a policy of centralized billing for its four offices and warehouses in Mass., and Conn. Mrs. Prout was then promoted to manager of the billing dept., a position she has held up until now.

She is a graduate of Pittsfield High School, class of 1944 and

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Center Post Office To Open At 8:45 A.M.

Acting Postmaster Robert R. DeForge announces that effective today the service windows in the Agawam Post Office will open at 8:45 a.m. and close at 5:15 p.m.

All services including sale of stamps, mailing of parcels, and money orders are effected by the new hours.

Red Cross Emergency Fund Appeal Underway

A special emergency fund-raising appeal to care for unforeseen major expenditures for disaster relief, and because of the military buildup in Viet Nam is now un-

derway by the American National Red Cross.

The Springfield Chapter's share of the \$9,000,000 special national appeal is set at approximately \$20,000, according to Rockwell Keeney, Jr., chairman, and it is hoped that the general public will participate in contributing generously.

The funds raised in this emergency appeal, hoped to be completed by May 16, will be used only to replenish the disaster funds nationally and to provide for increased Red Cross services necessitated by the placing of nearly 250,000 American service-

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AHS Art Contest Winners Named

The winners of the sixth annual Art Contest sponsored by the Agawam High School Art Club have been announced by Miss Geraldine Schilling, Club advisor and Art teacher at the high school.

Awards were made in five classifications: Pastels—1st Barbara Wagner, 2nd Paul Hayes, 3rd Beth Corliss, H. M. Susan Drewnowski; Charcoal—1st Beatrice Fontaine, 2nd Jean Stefanik, 3rd Gail Roberts, H. M. Sandra Larson; Poster Paint—1st Robert Osolinski, 2nd Linda Tomski, 3rd Jean Stefanik, H. M. Sandra Rossa; Ink—1st Jean Stefanik, 2nd Sherry Sausville, 3rd Paul Hayes, H. M. Robert Osolinski.

Mr. Gardner and Mr. Bale of the high school faculty were judges.

Spring Rummage Sale May 20-21

The annual spring rummage sale by the Ladies Auxiliary to Walter S. Kerr Barracks #396, Veterans of World War I of Agawam will be held Friday, May 20, and Saturday, May 21, from 10 a.m. until 9 p.m. at 175 Walnut St., Springfield.

The ladies are soliciting used clothing, jewelry, and housewares and are asking co-operation from townspeople so funds may be available for their hospital work. Patients at the Holyoke Soldiers Home are entertained twice a month with a bingo party and refreshments.

Should you have material to donate, a pickup can be arranged by telephoning Mrs. Bessie Patno 739-8017, Mrs. Eveline McGowan 736-0980, Mrs. Caroline Lauritsen 733-3946, or Mrs. Dell Burt at 739-4170.

Granger School Annual Banquet

The annual banquet of the Granger School will be held Wednesday evening, the 11th at 6:30 in the cafeteria of the school. Paul Monson, veteran radio broadcaster and globe trotting photographer, will speak on "Volcanic Guatemala."

Following the supper will be installation of officers: Installing Officer—Mrs. Domenic DiDonato; Treasurer — Miss Mary Ann Fravese; Recording Secretary — Mrs. Douglas Kerr and Corresponding Secretary — Mrs. Robert Mercadante.

Valley Church Public Smorgasbord May 21

The Friendly Circle of the Valley Community Church will serve a public smorgasbord at the Storowton Church on the Green, West Springfield, on May 21. Sittings will be from 5 to 7 p.m.

The menu will consist of roast beef, baked ham, Swedish meat balls, browned hash, Maine style home baked beans, scalloped potatoes, ravioli, deviled eggs, potato salad, gelatin salads, macaroni and cheese, assorted home made breads and rolls, pickles, olives, relishes, coffee, tea or milk and cake squares.

Children under five years will be admitted free, five to 12 at a reduced rate.

Serving on the committee are Mrs. Alfred Ingalls, Miss Maude Light, Mrs. Walter Haubenriser, Mrs. Henry Maurer, Mrs. Arthur Stanwell, Mrs. John Sanders, Mrs. Christy Seriva, Mrs. Richard Willett, Mrs. Edgar Giguere and Mrs. John MacPherson.

For reservations call Mrs. Gilbert Bowden, ST 8-0105 or Mrs. Lloyd Allen, ST 8-0035.

Opens Agawam Dental Practice

Dr. Thomas C. Morrier today announced the opening of a dental practice here. The office is located at 430 Main St. in Agawam.

A native of Pittsfield, Dr. Morrier was educated in the public school system there and ob-



DR. THOMAS C. MORRIER

tained his BS in biology at Holy Cross College in 1958. His graduate studies were completed at Georgetown University School of Dentistry, where he received a DDS in 1962. While at Georgetown, Dr. Morrier was on the Student Council and president of Psi Omega dental fraternity.

The doctor recently completed a three year tour of duty with the Air Force in Hawaii, one year of which was spent in a rotating internship at Tripler General Hospital, Honolulu.

Dr. and Mrs. Morrier presently reside in Chicopee Falls, and a move to Agawam is anticipated in the near future.

CHURCH NEWS

Agawam Methodist Church

459 Mill Street, Agawam
Rev. Kenneth Thornton, Minister
Mrs. Herbert Binns, Organist
Mrs. Marshall Keyes,
Sr. Choir Director
Mrs. Ronald Ashton,
Jr. Choir Director

Friday—3:30 p.m. Junior Choir practice at the church.

Sunday—9:30 a.m. Worship Service and Church School in session. Mother's Day. Nursery for infants. Pre-registration of Church School members for fall session will continue. No 11 a.m. worship service, these have been discontinued for the present time—come to the 9:30 a.m. service; 7:30 to 9 p.m. Christian Nurture (Orientation Class) for all those who plan to join the church on Ascension Sunday, May 22, whether by letter or affirmation of faith.

Monday: 9:30 a.m. Commission on Christian Social Concerns and Missions meets at church; 7:30 p.m. Members of the Policy Committee meet at church.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m.—Church School Teacher's Meeting at the Church. Also members of the Commission on Christian Education.

Wednesday—7 p.m. Sanctuary Choir practice at church.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Benjamin Lockhart, Pastor
Mrs. Frank Merchant, Organist and Choir Director
Mrs. Barbara Briggs, Church Secretary

Thursday—6:30 p.m. Choralier Choir rehearse at church; 7:45 p.m. Senior Choir rehearse at church; 8 p.m. Exposition Executive Committee meet at home of Mrs. Darcy Davis, Main St.

Saturday—11 a.m. Melody Choir rehearse at church; 5:30 p.m. Public Smorgasbord of the United Women's Fellowship in Fellowship House.

Sunday—9 and 11:10 a.m. Two Morning Worship Services... Rev. Lockhart will preach at both services... Celestial Choir sing at first service and Senior Choir sing at second service; 9:30 and 10 a.m. Church School for all ages; 6 p.m. Junior and Senior BYF's meet at church.

Tuesday—Celestial Choir rehearse at church.

Wednesday—10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Trading Post

open; 7 p.m. ABC Bell Ringers rehearse at church.

TWO-PIANO CONCERT

The Choir and Music Committee of the First Baptist Church of Agawam are sponsoring a Two-Piano Concert presented by Carmela Parrino Sharples and members of the New Canaan Piano Quartet on Saturday, May 14, at 8:15 p.m. at the Museum of Fine Arts in Springfield. This is for the benefit of the organ fund of the church. Tickets are \$3 for patrons and \$2 for regular admission. The public is invited to attend this fine evening of music. Tickets may be secured from members of the choir, church office or at the door the night of the concert.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Floyd C. Bryan, Minister
Mrs. A. G. Toussaint,
Minister of Music

Thursday—Ladies Aid May Dinner, sittings at 5:30 and 6:45 p.m.

Friday—7 p.m. Boy Scout meeting; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir rehearsal; 8 p.m. Square Dance.

Saturday—8:45 a.m. Intermediate Choir rehearsal; 9:30 a.m. Junior Choir rehearsal.

Sunday—9 a.m. Church at Morning Service... Rev. Bryan, preaching, "A Sense of at Homeness" and Church School Classes, Nursery to Grade 6; 10 a.m. Church School Classes, Grades 7 to 12; 11 a.m. Church at Morning Service... Rev. Bryan, preaching, "A Sense of at Homeness," baptism at this service and Church School Classes, Nursery to Grade 6.

Monday—6:30 p.m. Friendly Workers dinner meeting; 7:30 p.m. Deacons meeting.

Tuesday—6:30 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

FEEDING HILLS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

21 North Westfield St.

Rev. Arthur N. Sweeney, Pastor
Mrs. Frederick Nardi, Organist

Thursday—6 p.m. Cherub Choir rehearsal; 6:30 p.m. Youth Choir rehearsal; 7 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

Sunday—9:30 a.m. Church School; 11 a.m. Worship Service.

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Rev. George Linse, C.S.S.

Rev. James Shea, C.S.S.

Daily Mass: 7 a.m.

Holy Day Masses: 7, 8 a.m. and 6, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday—4:30 and 7:30 p.m. Confessions

Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 11:30 a.m. Masses; 10 a.m. Sunday School classes from first to sixth grades.

Monday—2:45 p.m. Junior High School CCD classes; 6:30 p.m. Senior High School CCD classes.

Tuesday—7:30 p.m. Miraculous Medal Novena Devotions.

Wednesday—7 p.m. Boy Scouts meet; 8 p.m. Rosary Altar Society meeting.

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

Rev. Dominic A. Ruscetta, CSS Rector.

Rev. Charles Sinesi, CSS.

Saturday—4:5:30 p.m. and 7:30 and 8:30 p.m. confessions. Mass Schedule

Sundays: 7, 8:30, 10:30 a.m. Weekdays: 7 a.m.

Tuesday—7:30 p.m. St. Anthony Devotions.

ST. DAVID'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. John S. Tyler, Vicar

Friday—3:15 p.m. Junior choir practice.

Sunday—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. Morning Prayer; 7 p.m. Evening Prayer and Youth Fellowship.

ST. THERESA OF INFANT JESUS CHURCH

Rev. Anthony J. Menard
Mass Schedule

Daily Mass—7 a.m.

Saturday—8 a.m. Mass—4:30 and 7:30 Confessions.

Sunday—7, 8:30 and 10 a.m. Mass.

Tuesday—7 p.m. St. Theresa Novena Devotions.

VALLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Frank E. Dunn, Minister
Mrs. Hazel Prior, Choir Director

Mrs. John MacPherson, Organist
Mrs. Richard Orr,
Church Secretary

Sunday—10 a.m. Worship Service at Old Storowton Church, West Springfield, Eastern States Exposition grounds... Sunday School classes in session.

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1258 people attended the Glaucoma Screening Clinic conducted by the Agawam Lions Club last Saturday and Sunday afternoons. 56 probable cases were detected and the persons were advised to see their physician or ophthalmologist. This indeed made the project worthwhile. Committee Chairman Fran Scanlon sincerely thanks all the doctors and nurses who made their services available.

Last evening the Club held

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

Rev. Walter J. Joyce
Rev. Pierce Power

Tonight—7:30 Confessions for First Friday.

Friday—6:30 and 7:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m. Masses.

Saturday—9 a.m. Religion classes for Grades 1 through 6 at Junior High School; 4 to 5:45 and 7:30 to 9 p.m. Confessions.

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 10:30 and 11:45 a.m. Masses.

Monday—6 p.m. Mass for CCD Graduation... all seniors will attend Mass and receive Communion. Luncheon will be served to the Graduates and guests following Mass at the Robinson Park School.

Tuesday—7:30 p.m. Miraculous Medal Novena Devotions.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Upper Church and Second Sts.
West Springfield, Mass.

Rev. John N. Garner, Pastor

Thursday—3:30 p.m., Joy Club (Bible Classes for children in school grades one through six) meets at church.

Sunday—9:45 a.m., Bible School for all ages; 11 a.m., morning worship service, with a Gospel message by Pastor Garner. There is a supervised nursery service available upstairs in the church during both Bible School and morning service; 5:45 p.m., Young People's groups meet at church; 7 p.m., evening service conducted by Pastor Garner; 8 p.m., Choir practice.

Wednesday—7:30 p.m., annual business meeting of the church.

(Bible Baptist Church is in fellowship with the General Assn. of Regular Baptist Churches and the American and International Councils of Christian Churches).

their annual Ladies Night at Gino's Brass Rail in Southwick, also election of officers for the coming year. Those elected were President John A. Mercadante, 1st Vice President Edward W. Schmidt, 2nd Vice President Francis J. Scanlon, 3rd Vice President Frank Chriscola, Secretary Duane Stebbins, Treasurer Frank J. Hardina, Lion Tamer Judson W. Hastings, Tail Twister Stanley S. Call, Directors Robert W. Johnson and Thomas E. Hyland, and Lions Park Director Robert W. Johnson. Installation will be made next month.

Peirce PTA 50th Observation May 11

Peirce School Parent Teachers Association annual meeting, installation and 50th year observation will be held May 11 at 6:30 p.m., at the school.

A smorgasbord will be served by Mr. Frank Sutula. The menu consists of: chicken, hot sausage, kielbasa, corned beef, boiled ham, Genoa salami, baked beans, potato salad, lasagna, olives (ripe and green) tossed salad, rolls and butter, dessert and coffee.

Entertainment for the evening will be the Dave Carpenter Trio and a skit.

Officers to be installed for the coming season are: Mrs. Richard Abbey, president; Mrs. David Kunasik, first vice-president; Mrs. Eric Daubitz, second vice-president; Mrs. Jean Hamel, recording secretary; Mrs. Lorraine Paro, corresponding secretary and Mrs. Marion Mallette. Installing officer will be Mr. David Skolnick.

Tickets may be obtained by contacting Mrs. David Skolnick, principal, or any of the above officers.

Career Conferences At AHS For May

Mr. David Skolnick, Guidance Director, at Agawam High School has announced that Career Conferences will be held in the auditorium at 8 Wednesday mornings on the following days.

Wednesday, May 11th, "Armed Forces Day" conference (for senior boys only) with U. S. Navy, Chief Phillips; U. S. Army, Sgt. Fagin; U. S. Marines, Sgt. Shirley; U. S. Air Force, Sgt. Varen; U. S. Coast Guard, Chief Dowd; Mass. National Guard, Sgt. Thibodeau.

Wednesday, May 18th, "Cosmetology as a Profession," guest speaker, Mrs. Harvey Frechette, Director, Kay Harvey Beauty Academy, Springfield.

Wednesday, May 25th, "Home Economics as a Career," with Mrs. Marjorie Sullivan, Ass't. Prof. of Home Economics, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Mass.

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Miss Nancy Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schmidt of Silver St., Agawam, has been chosen as a member of the 74-voice choir at Russell Sage College, Troy, N. Y. Nancy is a sophomore majoring in physical therapy.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Allen of Center St., Agawam, announce the engagement of their daughter, Adrienne Joyce, to David Hosford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hosford of Cottage St., Amherst.

Miss Allen is an alumna of Agawam High School and received a bachelor of science degree from the University of Massachusetts. She is a member of the faculty at Mt. Greylock Regional High School in Williamstown.

Mr. Hosford graduated from Amherst Regional High School and Bates College, Lewiston, Me., where he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. He received a master's degree at the University of Wisconsin, where he is working under a teaching fellowship toward a doctorate in British history.

A September wedding is planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Musinski of 154 Raymond Circle, Agawam, announce the birth of a daughter, Kimberly, on April 26 in the Wesson Maternity Hospital. Maternal grandparent is Mrs. Frederick Carmody of Raymond Circle, Agawam, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Peter Musinski of Jamaica St., Springfield.

Red Cross . . .

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men in action in Viet Nam. Mr. Keeney noted that this is the first time the Springfield Red Cross has solicited the public directly for funds since the United Fund was established in Springfield 16 years ago. The emergency drive has the approval of the Pioneer Valley United Fund, because of the cost of disaster work in connection with Hurricane Betsy and the Alaskan earthquake, in addition to the increased work in Viet Nam.

Checks or cash should go to the Emergency Appeal Committee, Springfield Red Cross, 275 Maple St., Springfield.

Agawam Chapter 55 Receive Parade Flag

Recently at the State Convention for the Sons of Union Veterans Auxiliary held at the Bradford Hotel in Boston, Mrs. Viola Fuller, State Patriotic Conductress, presented the parade flag of Agawam Chapter #55 D.A.V. to Commander Pauline Booker as part of their Patriotic Project.

Starting with five charter members; some 18 months and a few hundred hours later Comm. Booker built those five members into what is now the Agawam Chapter #55. At the present time the Commander and her committee are working on almost seven acres of land, adjacent to the Brady Village Veterans Project on Franklin St., Feeding Hills, to be donated to the Agawam Chapter #55 D.A.V., for property for a home.

Saturday evening, May 7, a dance will be held at the Agawam Sportsmen Club, Corey St. Tickets will be available at the door or by calling RE 7-5791. Snacks will be served. Tickets are 99c.

Meetings for the month of May will be on the 11th and 25th at the American Legion Post #185, Springfield St., Agawam, at 8 p.m.

Women On Wheels Luncheon Saturday

The Massachusetts Democratic Women on Wheels Inc., will hold their annual State Luncheon Saturday, 7th, at the Schine Inn, Chicopee.

The program will start with a business meeting at 11 a.m. with nomination and election of State officers followed by a social hour from 12 noon to 1 p.m. with the luncheon at 1 p.m.

Guest speaker will be Asst. U. S. Atty. Frances Kissell, who is a graduate of Radcliffe, A.B. 1943. Boston Law School, L.L.B. 1948, Marine Corp., veteran of World War 2. Appointed Asst.

Appointed



Andrew C. Gallano of 891 Main St., Agawam, former Agawam Selectman, and Veterans' Agent and more recently deputy commissioner of administration and finance for the State of Massachusetts has been appointed Community Representative for the State Commission on Aging. He will represent the commission in the four western counties.

U. S. Atty., July 10, 1961. Her topic will be "Duties within the Attorney General's Office."

Committee in charge are: Honorary Chairman, Mrs. Sydney O'Hare, State president; General Chairman, Mrs. Robert Findlater; Co-Chairman, Mrs. Marcel Bedard; Hospitality, Mrs. George Kelly; Reservations, Mrs. Francis Caldon; Decoration, Mrs. Shirley Nascimbini and Mrs. Frank Dean; Publicity, Mrs. James Smith; Telephone Chairman, Mrs. Edward Kennedy; Hostesses, Mrs. Peter Sullivan, Miss Florence Saccenti, Mrs. Raymond Marciniak and Mrs. Marcel Bedard.

Liberality is not giving much, but giving wisely.

W. S. Co-operative Bank To Reuse Some Water In Air Conditioning

West Springfield Co-operative Bank has installed a recirculating tower on the roof of its 37 Elm Street building in the interests of water conservation, Earle C. Harvey, treasurer and executive officer, said today.

The recirculating—or cooling—tower makes it possible for the bank to re-use the same water in its air conditioning system. The tower and allied equipment was installed by Dee Service, Inc., of Agawam.

Mr. Harvey said the air conditioning compressors of the West Springfield Co-operative require up to 900 gallons of water an hour during peak operation.

"At that rate, simple arithmetic indicates that during the five or six months that our air condition-

ing units are in use, hundreds of thousands of gallons of water are required," Mr. Harvey said. "However, we will now use the same water over and over again, contributing in good measure to the conservation efforts of other business organizations in the Greater Springfield area."

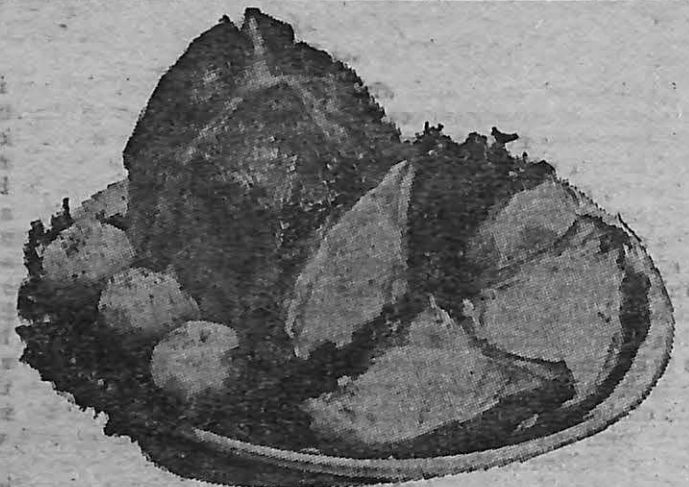
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Daniel Boone

By Edith LaFrancis

Because of the TV show known by his name, Daniel Boone seems very much alive today and the appearance of "Mingo" at Riverside adds to the illusion. It is therefore somewhat of a shock to discover in an old book store a copy of a Hartford paper which carries the actual obituary of the great frontiersman. The well preserved four page AMERICAN MERCURY is dated October 6, 1818, and describes the death of Daniel Boone thus:-

OBITUARY

Death of Colonel Daniel Boon

"As he lived, so he died, with his gun in his hand. We are informed by a gentleman direct from Boon's settlement on the Missouri, that early in last month Colonel Boon rode to a deer lick, seated himself within a blind raised to conceal him from the game. That while setting thus concealed with his old trusty rifle in his hand, pointed towards the lick, the muzzle resting on a log, his face to the breech of his gun, his rifle cocked, his finger on the trigger, one eye shut, the other looking along the barrel through the sights—in this position, without struggle or motion, and of course without pain he breathed out his last so gently that he was found next day by his friends, although stiff and cold, he looked as if alive, with his gun in his hand, just in the act of firing. It is not altogether certain if a buck had come into the range of his gun which had been the death of thousands, but it might have intuitively obeyed its old employers mind and discharged itself.—This hypothesis being novel, we leave the solution to the curious."

Certainly a fanciful bit of reporting. And of course a long time in getting to the reader.

Instant news was unheard of in 1818. Folks in Boone's settlement wrote to friends and relatives in New England, took the letters to the nearest tavern or store where they were put into mail pouches carried by horse back riders or river boat men, or for that matter by anyone going east. A month later the news appeared in Hartford.

In the same issue, President James Munroe is making known to the public, the opening of new land offices in Missouri; the office of Commissary General of Subsistence is calling for bids on supplying the army with rations; Russ & Thomas Co. are offering for sale 12 copper stills; the brig "Greyhound" has just arrived in port with molasses, etc.; a peace treaty has just been signed with the Menominee Indians; the schooner "Five Brothers" is now loading and will sail in 10 days; Wm. Marsh's book store is advertising newly published copies of the Connecticut Constitution; and Harvey Seymour & Co. offers for sale aromatic snuff, a sure cure for catarrh and head-ache.

To read the various items in this newspaper, to feel the cloth like texture of the yellowed pages is to know that history is not something far away or locked within a book. These people were very real indeed.

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Tuesday: Orange juice, hamburger on roll, potato chips, buttered carrots, peanut butter honey sandwich, fruit square, milk.

Wednesday: Frankfurt on roll, homemade baked beans, cabbage carrot salad, peanut butter honey sandwich, pineapple or apricot upside down cake w/topping, milk.

Thursday: Meat ball grinder, garden salad, peanut butter honey sandwich, peach shortcake w/topping, milk.

Friday: Citrus juice, tuna salad sailboat, potato chips, celery carrot sticks, chocolate cake w/chocolate icing, milk.

JUNIOR HIGH

Monday: Juice, hamburger on bun, green beans, peanut butter sandwiches, apple crisp, milk.

Tuesday: Frankfurt on roll, cabbage carrot salad, homemade baked beans, white cake w/chocolate sauce, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, beef stew w/vegetables, celery carrot sticks, bread/butter, fudgicle, milk.

Thursday: Juice, Sloppy Joe on bun, buttered corn, fruit cup, milk.

Friday: Macaroni w/tomato and cheese, cabbage carrot salad, peanut butter sandwiches, pineapple chunks, milk.

DANAHY

Monday: Orange juice, frankfurt in buttered roll, buttered corn, applesauce cake w/topping, milk.

Tuesday: Tomato rice soup w/vegetables, carrot sticks, bologna or peanut butter jam sandwich, orange slices, cookies, milk.

Wednesday: Elbow macaroni w/meat tomato sauce, buttered green beans, cheese wedge, bread and butter, sliced peaches, milk.

Thursday: Mashed potatoes, roast turkey w/gravy, cranberry sauce, buttered broccoli, bread and butter, fruit cup, milk.

Friday: Citrus juice, tuna fish salad sandwich, oven fried potatoes, tossed salad, prune cake w/topping, milk.

GRANGER

Monday: Macaroni and hamburger w/tomato sauce, buttered green beans, rye bread/butter, sliced peaches, milk.

Tuesday: Citrus juice, oven fried chicken, mashed potato, cranberry sauce, peas/carrots, jello w/whipped topping, milk.

Wednesday: Baked link sausage, glazed sweet otato, whole kernel corn, peanut butter sandwich, apple crisp, milk.

Thursday: Juice, grilled hamburger on buttered roll, relish, catsup, onion rings, wax beans, cheese finger, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Friday: Orange juice, tuna fish sailboats, peanut butter sandwich, tossed salad, ripe olives, applesauce cake, milk.

PEIRCE

Monday: Hamburg and brown gravy, whipped potatoes, buttered carrots, peanut butter sandwich, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Tuesday: Spaghetti w/tomato meat sauce, buttered breen beans, cheese or peanut butter sandwich, apricots, milk.

Wednesday: Beef pot pie w/potato topping, buttered leaf spinach, bread/butter, blueberry cake w/topping, milk.

Thursday: Tangerine juice, hamburger patty on hot buttered roll, buttered kernel corn, cheese wedges, peanut butter sandwich, peach halves, milk.

Friday: Orange juice, tuna noodle casserole, buttered peas, peanut butter sandwich, raisin cookies, milk.

PHELPS

Monday: Meat ball grinders, buttered corn, cookies, citrus fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday: beef noodle soup w/vegetables, toasted cheese sandwich, orange wedges, peanut butter cookie, milk.

Wednesday: Grilled hamburger on buttered bun, onion slices, relish, candied sweet potatoes, raisin applesauce cake, milk.

Thursday: Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, broccoli cuts, bread/butter, ice cream, milk.

Friday: Juice, tuna noodle casserole, tossed green salad, bread and butter, cheese sticks, applesauce, milk.

ROBINSON

Monday: Juice, ham salad roll, potato chips, buttered corn, peanut butter sandwich, strawberry shortcake, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburg gravy on mashed potato, buttered broccoli, bread/butter, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, frankfurt on buttered roll, mustard, relish, buttered carrots, sliced peaches, chocolate cake w/butter frosting, milk.

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Friday: Orange juice, tuna fish salad sandwich, peanut butter sandwich, potato chips, tossed green salad, gingerbread w/applesauce, milk.

SOUTH

Monday: Juice, chicken chowder soup w/vegetables, crackers, celery sticks, peanut butter honey on rye, banana, milk.

Tuesday: Pepper beef squares, mashed potatoes, buttered beets, buttered corn bread, pineapple chunks, milk.

Wednesday: Hamburg - corn - noodle casserole, buttered broccoli, peanut butter on rye, gingerbread w/topping, milk.

Thursday: Cold cut grinder (meat, cheese, lettuce), potato salad, carrot sticks, citrus fruit cup, milk.

Friday: Baked lasagne (meatless), green tossed salad, buttered pan biscuit, vanilla peach pudding w/topping, milk.

Promoted . . .

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formerly worked as a secretary in the law firm of Cain, Chesney, Lewis and Capeless for five years. Upon leaving the law firm, she held the position of secretary of Safety Services for the American Red Cross of Pittsfield until her marriage.

Mrs. Prout is a Notary Public and a member of the Agawam Baptist Church, South School PTA and the Springfield Ski Club. She is the daughter of Mr. T. Oswell Hamer and the late Mrs. Mata Hamer of Pittsfield, Mass.

Mrs. Prout now resides at 60 South St., Agawam, with her three children, Richard, Michael and Sherrill.

Open New Local . . .

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been admitted to practice before both State and Federal Courts and is a member of the Hampden County Bar Association, the Massachusetts Bar Association and the Estate Planning Council of Hampden County.

Atty. Danziger resides with his wife, Helen, at 336 Meadow St., Agawam.

Atty. Rosenberg is a member of the Massachusetts Bar Association and the Hampden County Bar Association and is admitted to practice before the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts.

Atty. Rosenberg is a veteran of the U. S. Army with service in the Far East.

The Department of Attorney General, Commonwealth of Massachusetts has approved him for legal assignments in regard to the Department of Public Works. He is legal counsel for the Building Trade Employers' Association of Western Massachusetts, Inc.

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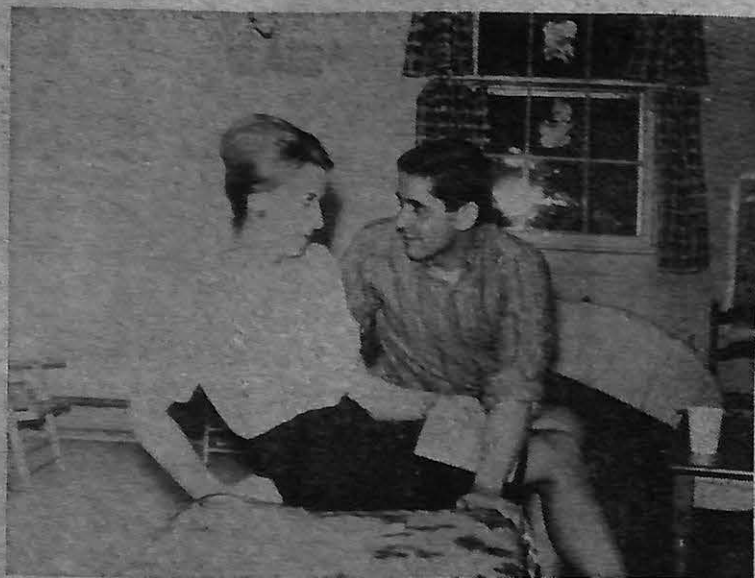
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WELCOME WAGON



Alice Jones plays Irene Wilson in "Yum Yum." Kurt Stewart plays coveted role of Hogan.

"Under the Yum Yum Tree," the Chalkliners' new production, is in full rehearsal. It is to be presented at Storowton Tavern on Friday and Saturday night, May 20 and 21, on a dinner-theatre ticket.

The Chalkliners have proven themselves to be one of the best Amateur Community Theatre Groups in this area, and their new venture, dinner at Storowton Tavern, followed by the full-length play, on a combination dinner - theater ticket is a "first" of its kind in this area.

The cast of "Under the Yum Yum Tree" includes Alice Jones, a charter member of Chalkliners, who has appeared in each of the former productions with professional excellence; Janet Turgeon, a new local talent; Ray Simmons of Springfield; Kurt Stewart, also of Springfield, who plays the role of Hogan. Hogan was portrayed by Gig Young in the Broadway production and by Jack Lemmon in the movie version. It is a coveted role and the Director's choice is a good one.

Production of "Yum Yum" is being handled by the following: Producers, Everett Hodge and Hazel Prior; sets, Charles Deliso and Pat Stebbins; programs, Florence Ingalls; publicity, Gene Ayers and Goldie P. Sutton; wardrobe, Anne and May Fish; tickets, Donna Werthamer; prompter, Dot Aldrich; stage managers, Judy Burr and Eleanor Piccin.

The Director is the very capable and creative, Doreen Deliso.

All in all our town is fortunate to be represented in Community Theatre by such a fine group,

and the evening promises to be a memorable one.

Officers Elected For Coin Club

The Agawam Coin Club met last Wednesday at the Agawam Armory with a very pleasing turnout. The opening of the meeting was the nomination and election of officers for the year.

The following were elected: President, Arthur B. Stone, Sr.; Vice President, Victor Moreno; Secretary, Mrs. Dorothy A. Greenfield; Treasurer, William Nieulieb; Chairman Executive Board, Joseph Seconda; Publicity Chairman, Carleton Wing; Entertainment and Auction Chairman, Roger Gaboury.

The next meeting will be held May 11th at the Agawam Armory, at 7:30 p.m. On the agenda will be the submittance of by-laws and constitution for discussion and approval. Color slides of coins will be shown, followed by an auction and refreshments.

The club plans to form Junior groups in the future.

An invitation is extended to those interested to join the club.

Friendly Squares Dance May 14

The Friendly Squares Western Square Dance Club next dance will be held at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Wilbraham Road, Springfield, May 14th with club caller Dana Blood calling. This will be a "vampire dance."

All adult western square dancers are invited to square up with us. Refreshments and door prizes.

Installation Dinner

The South Elementary Parent Teachers Association will hold its annual installation banquet on May 11 at 6:30 in the school cafeteria. Reservations for the smorgasbord which will include rolled ham, meatballs, baked chicken, potato salad, waldorf salad, macaroni with cheese, cole slaw, baked beans, pickles, rolls, homemade cake and assorted beverages, must be made by May 6.

Dinner music will be provided by the Blue Tones with David Perusse on the accordion, Chip Sharpe on the drums and Carol Whitaker playing the guitar. Following dinner Sally Lowell will direct the choral group in a Spring Festival of tunes in the Gay Nineties mood.

General chairman for this event will be Mrs. Thomas Roberts, assisted by Mrs. Donald Dow, Mrs. Angelo Bonomi, Mrs. Michael Demko, Mrs. John Crawford, Mrs. Edward Moriarty, Mrs. Nicholas Waytovich and Mrs. Paul Pappas.

A slate of officers will be presented by the nominating committee, and elections will be held. The chairman, Mrs. Bruce Cobleigh is being assisted by Mrs. Robert Gottsche and Mrs. Angelo Bonomi. The installing officer will be Mrs. Benjamin Wood, state secretary to the Massachusetts Congress of Parent Teacher Association.

YMCA Junior-Senior Weekend Dances

Live music will be featured at both Y.M.C.A. dances this weekend. Friday night at the Junior High School dance, held at the South Street School from 7:30-10, the Volaires will return for their third engagement this year. This will be the final dance of the year for the Junior High School group. A Bermuda theme will be used and all boys and girls attending are urged to wear bermuda shorts or other appropriate summer clothing.

On Saturday night at the Robinson Park School, the High School dance will be held from 8 to 11 p.m. A new dance band will be presented to the group. They are called the "Askots" and features Bob Gosselin on the drums, Billy Bonfitto on the rhythm guitar, Davy Davis on bass guitar, Ricky Roberts on lead guitar, and Steve Sands as the vocalist. All dances for the remainder of the year will be of the sock and sweater type.

A small increase in admission fees will be in effect for both dances.

Benj. Phelps PTA Installation May 11

The May meeting and installation of officers of the Benjamin J. Phelps Parent Teachers Association will be held next Wednesday evening in the school cafeteria at 8.

The officers elected to serve during the 1966-67 year are:

Mrs. Robert Gaynor, president; Mrs. Raymond Bronner, vice-president; Mrs. Fredrick Roberts, secretary and Mrs. Donald Wheeler, treasurer. The installing officer will be Mrs. Edmund Jenks.

The speaker for the evening will be Miss Teresa Kirby, world traveler and lecturer. Her film and discussion are entitled "More Camels Than Cars." This film reports on the remoteness of the Middle East, an area that blends the splendors of an Arabian Nights' Tale with the primitive living of the undeveloped Eastern world.

Among the many countries and places she visited during her trip in August, 1964, were Turkey, Iran, Afghanistan, Egypt, Kabul, Kimalaya Chain of Mountains, Kyhber Pass, Istanbul, Abu Simbel and Luxor. During her travels in Egypt she traveled up the Nile and past the new High-Dam at Aswan under construction by Russian engineers.

Refreshments will be served following the meeting.

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SPORTSMEN'S CORNER



By Bill Chiba

The Gun Digest Association has come up with another fine publication, in fact it is the 6th Anniversary edition and is edited by Tom McNally.

Even the veteran fisherman will find pleasant surprises in the all new 6th edition. Editor Tom McNally has assembled meaningful articles by top fishing experts that will enable every fisherman to select better equipment, care for it, make it more productive an enjoyable. Fishing theories are here, myths are exploded, proven facts on the how, why and where of fishing are clearly presented. A section on rods and one on reels surveys the whole spectrum of what is available as well as new for 1966 — makes comparisons possible, and brings into focus what is the best equipment for each man's purse and purpose. Fishermen's Digest has virtually every world record to target in on . . . loaded with illustrations, lore and fact. The edition is now available at your local sports, book, department store or news dealer, or \$3.95 postpaid from Gun Digest Association, Dept. PR. 4540 W. Madison Street, Chicago, Ill.

The Connecticut Board of Fisheries and Game reports that good catches of winter flounder are being made all along the shore. Cod and pollock fishing is improving off eastern Connecticut with fish from 2 to 30 pounds being taken at the Race, Wilderness Pt. and Watch Hill. Montauk Point is also another hot spot for cod.

Striped bass angling continues fair in the Thames River. A few strippers have shown up in Greenwich Cove.

White perch are providing

good fishing at high tides in Quiamabug Cove, Wequettequoc Cove and at Barn Island. These fish are also very abundant in the Connecticut River

Top Producer

While visiting the Hamilton Rod and Gun Club recently, we could not but notice the beautiful landlocked salmon mounted and hanging on the back bar. It weighed 10 pounds and was landed by a club member last June. The Molson Company in Canada awarded the lucky fisherman \$50 in prize money. We questioned an associate of the lucky angler, and came up with the following information.

The salmon was caught in Lake Megantic, Quebec, Canada. The best time to fish the lake is in mid-June. Bill Reich related how he caught 6 lake trout last year in one day that totaled a gross weight of 85 pounds. Man that is big fish angling in any man's book. Bill and his friends stay at Jim Grant's cabins while fishing the lake and the tab is reasonable. If you are looking for a place to spend a week this June, we recommend that you consider Lake Megantic. You may contact Jim Grant at 52 Frontinac St., La Megantic, Quebec, Canada. Oh yes! be sure to take along plenty of 20 and 30 pound leader material with you.

New Regs To Be Heard

The Division of Fisheries and Game of Massachusetts has decreed Sept. 9, 1966 at 8 p.m. at Division Headquarters, Westboro, Mass. the time and place that the new deer hunting regulations will be heard.

The division is proposing to permit killing of only deer with at least three-inch antlers and a limited number of antlerless deer by special permit, except within a zone outlined by the division. Within this zone either bucks or does would be legal at the hunter's option as under present regulations.

In the rest of the state, a valid hunting license would entitle hunters to shoot deer with three-inch or better antlers only, unless they possessed a valid antlerless-deer permit in which case they could shoot either buck or doe. Antlerless deer permits would be issued by public drawing and limited to a total of 2000.

Gill Graduates

At Keesler AFB

BILOXI, Miss.—Airman Third Class Howard A. Gill, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Edwards of 25 Doane Ave., Agawam, has been graduated at Keesler AFB, Miss., from the training course for U. S. Air Force radar operators.

Airman Gill is a graduate of Agawam High School.

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Big fish usually are more deliberate than small ones when consuming dinner. Is that because they find the larger morsels more difficult to subdue, or because they are more experienced with the wiles of anglers? We don't know for sure.

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Here is where patience comes in. And plenty of it may be required.

The fisherman must quiet his pounding heart, Mercury advises, release any drag from the reel, and allow that lunker to mouth the minnow undisturbed.

This may take 10 seconds or it may take several minutes, but sooner or later the bass will take off again, probably in search of another meal. And that instant is the time to set the hook.

Haynes To Study At Lackland AFB

VICTORIA, Calif. — Staff Sergeant Roger R. Haynes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell E. Haynes of 47 King St., Agawam, has been selected for academic and military training under the U. S. Air Force Education and Commissioning Program.

Sergeant Haynes, an aircraft instrument repairman at George AFB, Calif., will study for a bachelor's degree in aeronautical engineering. Following graduation, he will go to Officer Training School (OTS) at Lackland AFB, Tex.

The sergeant will be commissioned an Air Force second lieutenant upon completion of OTS which is part of the vast Air Training Command education system.

A graduate of Agawam High School, Sergeant Haynes attended Boston College, Chestnut Hill, Mass., and Victor Valley College, Victorville, Calif.

His wife, Jane, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Kusiak of 408 Honeysuckle Lane, Webster Groves, Mo.

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Little League, East will open its scheduled season on Saturday at 2 p.m. with a double header. The first contest will see the Bombers playing the Corvairs, while the Panthers take on the Senators in the second game. The rosters have been announced as follows:

Panthers: John Anderson, Gary Bonavita, Gary Desimone, Bruce Foster, Robert Meister, Stephen and Walter Milewski, Gary Safford, Robert Pelley, Robert Bouley, Kevin St. John, James Santillo, John Lynch, James Knight, Vic Ramah.

Bombers: Don Wheeler, Glenn Tatrow, Bill Scott, Bill Syriac, Dan Hebert, Mike Simonds, Dave Michalak, Richard Simonds, Joe Conway, Don Filiault, Paul Houlihan, Mike Gaffey, Shawn Sullivan, Thomas and James Fenton.

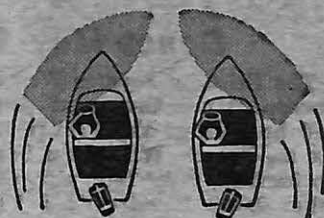
Corvairs: Ronald Chechile, David Graham, Alan Hart, John Martino, David Richter, Gary Robinson, Richard Adelman, Scott Brindal, Steven DuPlessis, Mike Huba, Kenneth and Robert Kelley, Brian Nichols, Steven Roberts, Mike Williams.

Senators: William Bruneau, Mark DeForge, Kevin Garvey, Raymond Leopardi, Mike Marceau, William Morrissey, Mark MacLaughlin, Jeff Nolin, James Nolin, Tom Quinn, John and Thomas Davies, Wayne Gates, Ted Oliver, William Sepelli.

The annual feature of the release of 100 balloons with greetings for finders will be part of the pre-game ceremony. All boys are asked to meet with their managers at the parking area behind Phelps School, from where they will parade to the School Street Field for opening ceremonies.

The concession stand will be opened for fans and Minor League Players will be present, although their first games are scheduled for Sunday, May 15 at 2 p.m.

Boating Tips...



HANDLING CHARACTERISTICS

Bear in mind that your boat's stern always swings out when you turn. You have to get used to this, since it's different than driving an automobile; the front of the car veers right or left when you turn. When your Mercury outboard motor, mounted on the stern, turns to either side, propeller thrust is no longer parallel to the boat's centerline and the stern swings wide. Take this into consideration, or you will clip or bump moored boats, scrape against pilings, and otherwise get into difficulties. To check the boat handling characteristics on turns, pilot it past a marker at different speeds, beginning turns as you pass. Make fairly gentle turns before trying sharper ones to be sure you're acquainted with the boat. While you're "feeling out" the boat, makes runs at full speed past the buoy. Cut the throttle as you come abreast of the marker and observe how little distance you need to come to a dead stop.

GROWING PAINS

"I hope you don't think me too young for marriage with your daughter," said the young man anxiously.

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ROUTE 1

Monday, May 9 — Arnold, Broz, Carmen Ave., Cleveland, Coronet Cir., Duclos Dr., Francis, Gale, Grant, Hall, Harding, Homer, James, Letendre Ave., Liberty, McKinley, Maynard, Norman, Norman Terrace Ext., North, Oak Lane, Robin Lane, Sherman Ave., Sylvan Lane, Taft, Walton Lane, Wilbert Ter., Wilson and Woodland.

ROUTE 2

Tuesday, May 10 — Acorn, Agnoli Pl., Annable, Aubudon, Bessbrook, Chapin, Cherry, Colemore, Daniel, Day, Eastern Ave., Fenton, Franklin, Fruwirth Ave., Greenock, Hasting, Hayes Ave., Horsham Pl., Lenox, Lincoln, Line, Mooreland, Norwood Oak, Park, Pierce, Portland Pl., Ralph, Ridgeway, Sylvan, White and Witheridge.

ROUTE 3

Wednesday, May 11 — Begley, Birchwood Ter., Bridge, Brookside Pl., Church, Cooley, Cottage, Dwight, Ellington, George, High, Highland, Hillcrest Ave., Howard, King, King Ave., Laurel, Lexington, Maple, McGrath Ter., Moore, Mulberry, Oak Ave., Oak Hill Ave., Orchard, Ottawa, Pasadena, Prospect River, Scherpa, Spencer, Spring, Summer, Sutton Pl., Tower Ter., Valley, Walnut, Walnut Street Ext. and Winthrop St.

Route 4

Thursday, May 12 — Amherst, Barn Rd., Belvedere, Brookline, Columbus, Giffin Pl., Greenacre Lane, Henry, Highland, Homestead Ave., Keating, Kensington, Mill, Morris, Norris, Northwood, Randall, Rhodes Ave., Rowley, Royal, Royal Lane, Springfield, Twin Oaks Rd. and William St.

Daigneau Completes Navy Basic Training

GREAT LAKES, Ill. (FHT-NC) — Seaman Recruit Thomas G. Daigneau, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Daigneau of 18 Royal St., Agawam, has completed seven weeks of Navy basic training at the Naval Training Center here.

In the first weeks of his naval service he studied military subjects and lived and worked under conditions similar to those he will encounter on his first ship or at his first shore station.

In making the transition from civilian to sailor, he was taught and supervised by experienced Navy petty officers. He learned the basic skills of seamanship, as well as survival techniques, military drill and other basic subjects.

LEGAL NOTICES

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The Town of Agawam will offer for sale by Public Auction, on May 12, 1966 at approximately 1200 North Street at 4:00 P.M., 2 parcels of land acquired for non-payment of taxes, by land of low value foreclosure. The affidavit of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, granting foreclosure rights to the town, is recorded in the Hampden County Registry of Deeds, Book 3145, Page 151. The first parcel consists of 8 lots, approx. 25 ft. by 100 ft. each. The second parcel consists of 4 lots, same dimensions with both parcels located on Churchill and Roosevelt Aves. Title to these lots will consist of just the interest, acquired by the Town of Agawam, under the foregoing affidavit. \$25 deposit required of the successful bidder. The town reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities in the bid. Other terms to be announced at the time of auction.

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LEGION AUXILIARY UNIT NEWS

by Virginia Catchepaugh

Saturday Dances

Free Saturday night dances will be held at the Legion Home beginning May 7. Legion and Auxiliary members and their guests are invited to attend.

Poppy Day

The Post, Auxiliary, Sons of Legion and Juniors will join in distributing poppies at Riverside Park May 14 at 6 p.m. The poppies are made by hospitalized veterans and all contributions are placed in the rehabilitation fund for the benefit of veterans.

Poppy Ball

Poppy Chairman Jane Whalen and her Co-chairman Tom, are taking reservations for the Poppy Ball to be held on May 28 at the Legion Home. The public is welcome to this annual affair.

Regular Meeting

The next regular meeting of the Unit will be held at the Legion Home on Monday, May 16.

June Convention

The Department Convention will be held on June 2, 3 and 4 at Swampscott, Mass. County representatives will leave early that Thursday morning by bus. Agawam has made reservations for two delegates from the Unit.

Spring Frolics

The Spring frolics held in April was a success and the Post and Unit wish to thank all who made it so. The Auxiliary's share of the proceeds will be placed in the Scholarship Fund.

At Your Service

DAVID C. GALLANO
Director of Veterans Services



Servicemen still on military duty may take advantage of the educational and loan guaranty programs of the new GI Bill, the Veterans Administration at Boston pointed out today.

The servicemen must have at least two years service to be eligible.

Participation in the GI loan program is available immediately. Educational programs cannot be started until June 1, 1966.

Under the GI education program, servicemen with more than two years of military service will be eligible for one month of college, vocational, business, high school or correspondence school courses for each month or fraction of a month they have been on active duty, with 36 months as the maximum period no matter how long their length of service.

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Full information on either the educational or the loan guaranty benefit may be obtained from the office of the commanding officer at any military or naval base or by writing, telephoning or visiting any Veterans Administration regional office.

In Massachusetts, the VA office is located at 1 Beacon St., Boston.

Junior Grange #105 To Honor Mothers

Community Junior Grange #105 will meet at the Grange Home on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, with mothers as guests. This will be an open meeting with a program directed by the lecturer, Richard Allen, assisted by David Ainsworth and Kevin Powers.

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